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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Sept. 16.—Oregon, Idaho and Washington, fair.

- Hair Pins - 1c Pkg
Toilet Pins - 1c paper
Pillow Cases, full size - 45x36 - 12c
Bleached Toweling - 5c

October Dollmaker now on sale at Pattern Counter.



Our store closes at 6 p. m. every day except Saturday.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

Boys' school suits, lowest prices, at Shanahan's.

The British ship John Cook got in at noon yesterday.

Ripe Bartlett pears 25 cents per box today.—JOHNSON BROS.

Boys' and girls' macintoshes. See Shanahan. Also umbrellas, 25c up.

The Harrison arrived at 11 a. m. yesterday from Alena. Her next trip will be to Nehalem.

Young man wants board and room with a private family. Address M. Astorian office.

WANTED—By a reliable, sober man, work of any description. Address W. L. White, Astorian office.

Boys' and girls' double and triple knee stockings at Shanahan's, 10c, 15c and 20c per pair.

"Wilkinson, Sons of Herman," this is the place where everybody's sons who look nice dress; at Herman Wise's.

Attorney Rawlins, of Seattle has arrived to attend to the fishermen's cases against the cannery packers.

This afternoon Mrs. Frank Parker will receive a large number of her friends at the "tea" for which invitations have been sent out.

The Beck family of slingers came in last night on the Sue H. Elmore. They were rather fatigued and rested for their first night's work at the Salvation Army hall this evening.

Some late designs in the ever popular Morris chairs just received from the manufacturers. Call early and make your choice while there are many to select from. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

It is refreshing to find a stranger in town who comes without a tale of fire. Mr. Conn, of Hammond, is in town and he informs the Astorian that the sand, which is the principal part of Hammond, has not yet ignited.

We have just received a shipment of fine Eastern hams, which we invite you to call and examine. These hams are the best quality obtainable and we guarantee each one to please.—JOHNSON BROS.

After Over-Indulgence get your stomach and liver into proper condition by using this renowned old family remedy

Beecham's Pills.

Sold Everywhere—in boxes 10c and 25c.

For school supplies of all kinds call at Shanahan's.

Mrs. E. O. Curren is quite ill at her home, 276 Tenth street.

C. C. Clark, the Seaside logger, will put in 1,000,000 feet per month the coming winter.

The British steamship Polanball arrived here at 9:30 a. m. yesterday and passed out at 11:30 a. m.

The four-masted barkentine Amarantha arrived from Portland at 5:30 p. m. last evening. She will probably get out on tomorrow's tide.

The steamer Homer arrived at 6:30 last evening from Seattle and passed up for Portland. She will load government supplies for the sound.

A handsome and stylish sideboard is a convenience appreciated by every housekeeper. See the new stock at the store of Chas. Heilborn & Son.

The steamer Columbia came down at 3 p. m. yesterday and left for San Francisco at 7:30, not looking any worse for her picnic in the smoke and fog.

The Sue H. Elmore got in last evening with a full cargo and usual long passenger list. She will leave for Tillamook Friday morning at 7 o'clock.

All those who desire to be examined before entering school are requested to meet Prof. Clark in the high school building today between 9 and 12.

The four-masted schooner Mahuana passed out yesterday on her way to Tacoma to complete her cargo. She took as much cargo from Portland as was possible to get out with.

Buffets to please the most fastidious, the latest creations splendidly planned and magnificently constructed, unexcelled for elegance. Your inspection invited. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

The construction of the Clatsop mill is progressing rapidly and will at no very distant date be turning out lumber. Yesterday the contract for installing all the electric wires was awarded to Millard Hardesty.

You cannot get a better coffee than our Perfection Blend Mocha and Java. We guarantee each pound to please. In the event that it does not your money will be refunded by us.—JOHNSON BROS.

Tillamook reports announce that the fire scare has died away. The city itself did not suffer, but surrounding districts lost large quantities of valuable timber. Fire is still burning in the mountains at the back.

For the coming school season we have bought an immense stock of tablets and all kinds of school materials. We have a full line of school books and everything needed for school children.—SVENSON'S BOOK STORE.

John Frye, the road master and well-known resident of Youngs river, has purchased an interest in the feed stable of R. M. Gaston. A slaughter house will be operated on the Wallis-ki by the firm, which will be known as Gaston & Frye.

At the last meeting of the Clerks' union it was voted to hold a smoker on Monday, October 6. This organization has proven itself to consist of good, wide-awake entertainers, and at the approaching event an enjoyable time is anticipated.

Twelve prospective pupils appeared before Professor Clark yesterday applying for promotion. Five of them are seeking for higher promotion in the high school and seven for the grammar school. Those who desire to be examined before entering the grammar school will be so today.

It has been suggested that Astoria start a relief fund for the fire sufferers. There are many who are not only homeless, but destitute, and shelterless. Other parts of this state and Washington are opening up their hearts and pocketbooks, and for such a deserving cause this community must not fall behind in good deeds.

A merry little party of three left yesterday for a little hunting trip near Nehalem. Jim Ellsworth, the barber, has gone to keep the Seaside Bakery chef shaved. Editor Curtis has gone to rest his brain among rural scenes and collect bear and bird stories. The baker has gone to provide bread for the other two and the whole three have gone to shoot something—in fact anything that gets up, if it be big enough. The dogs and guns will come back, the game will—well—be thankfully received.

Chas. Brook, who has acquired the lease of the Hotel Quimby, in Portland, is paying a visit in this city. He takes possession on September 1, when the whole building will be renovated.

Fred Munson came over last night from his timber claim for supplies. He will return tomorrow. Work is proceeding on several of the timber claims, notably that of Constable Beasley.

There arrived from California yesterday J. Adams, F. Davis, C. Morgan, E. Maddeman and Eli West. The men have been employed at Vallejo with the cold-storage plant of the Warren Packing Company.

Captain Sam Randall is reported to have left steamer Jessie Banning at San Francisco. The vessel will enter the service of the Colombian government and will proceed on her voyage under the command of Captain Marmaduke.

M. H. Bozarth received a communication yesterday which spoke of the discovery of a rich ledge on the Wolf Creek mining property, Josephine county, in which he is interested. Mr. Bozarth anticipates a good profit from his investment.

The new Catholic church is rapidly assuming its permanent appearance. The roof is on so that the builders are prepared for rain. The completion of this edifice will be a notable acquisition in the line of churches for the city.

Deputy Collector of Customs Frank L. Parker, accompanied by William Madison, left last night for Salem to take in the state fair. Afterwards they will mount their wheels and ride to Nehalem. On the home journey Seaside will be a stopping place. The trip will last nearly a week.

The Knights and Ladies of Security held a meeting on Monday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. Sarah Miller; vice-president, Mrs. Lydia Van Buren; second vice-president, Mrs. Sarah Franciscovich; prelate, Mrs. H. McCann; conductor, Mrs. Martha Shields; financial secretary, Mrs. Mary Burns; recording secretary, J. F. Welch; inside guard, Mrs. J. F. Welch; outside guard, Mrs. Mary Spelmer. Mrs. Charles Moro was initiated into full membership.

The Sons of Herman Grand Lodge of Oregon held its regular annual session yesterday in this city. There were 32 delegates in attendance from over the state. The meeting convened in Carnahan's hall at 9 a. m., with George Lantenschlager in the chair, and William Herman as secretary. The business transacted consisted of the reading of reports, which showed the financial and social standing of the lodge and the work that it is doing along other lines, and the election of officers for the ensuing year. The elections were: For president, August Benz; vice-president, Chris Gramms; grand secretary, William Herman; grand treasurer, C. Schmid. All the newly elected officers are residents of Portland, excepting Mr. Gramms, who is a local man. In the evening members of the convention were royally entertained in the basement of the Presbyterian church, by the Queen Louise Lodge No. 4, O. D. H. S. An elegant banquet was served and good German songs delighted the time away. The next meeting will be held in Portland on the third Tuesday of next September.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS. The following letters are unclaimed at the postoffice: Miss Baker, Mrs. Emma Childs, Alex. Chisolm, John Connolly, Jas. Cummings, S. R. DeMier, John G. Duper, Olaf Erickson, Fuller & Fuller, Clarence Garrison, Mrs. H. W. Guides, H. E. Harvie, Carl Hakanson, G. Hanthorn, J. A. Hills, Joe Hibbs, John Husby, Joe Johnson, P. S. Johnson, Chris Johnson, Chas. Johnson, J. W. Johnston, J. W. Kirby, David Lubin, Alfonso Luchetta, S. A. Lynde, W. J. McCarthy, Jens Madison, Lenard Nelson, Dan G. Nolde, A. V. Palmer, Pacific Lift Co., E. A. Parker, J. H. Peck, L. Reede, J. Ridings & Son, Miss Lena Rivers, W. J. Ross, Harnes Roska, F. A. Robbins, Mrs. M. E. Schnize, Clara Smith, Claud A. Stephenson, Claud Strand, Mrs. S. Sahalind L. Torkelson, Alane West, J. R. Wright. Foreign—Karl J. Johansen, G. A. Kaskela.

\$1,000,000 FOR CHARITY. A fortune of \$1,000,000 was recently left to a charitable institution in one of our Eastern cities, and while much good can be accomplished by the careful expenditure of this sum of money, there is another agency which deserves mention because of the good it has done and the suffering it has relieved during the past 50 years, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. No other medicine can take its place as a cure for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, such as headache, belching, heartburn, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation or biliousness. We would therefore urge you to give it a trial. The genuine must have our private stamp over the neck of the bottle. Do not accept a substitute.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. At a meeting of Astoria Central Labor Council last evening it was decided that Jeff's restaurant had complied with the demands of the union and it was ordered to be placed on the fair list.

JENS HANSEN, President. D. T. GERDES, Secretary.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Axel Anderson is here from Chinook. J. McGowan, of McGowan, Wash., is in the city.

G. L. Caldwell, an Ilwaco lumberman, is in the city. Tom Brown, of Ilwaco, was in the city yesterday.

George B. Hegardt was up from the jetty yesterday. Senator J. G. Megler and wife spent yesterday in the city.

Bertie Allen, the Clatsop farmer, visited the city yesterday. Miss Amy Deane came over from Flavel yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. N. Clifton returned yesterday from a visit to the West Side. Dr. W. C. Barr leaves today on a brief visit to the state capital.

Sam Hess started yesterday from Baker City to transact business. E. F. Libke, the Lewis and Clark farmer, was in the city yesterday.

Wade Hampton Smith, who has been in Portland for several days, has returned. Bob Owens has returned home after an absence in Portland of several days.

John Lindquist left last evening for Wind, where he will take an outing at St. Martin's Springs.

Larry Sullivan, formerly of this city, was here yesterday. He was looking after the interests of his business.

J. B. Tillotson, the Albany contractor, who built the Upper Necanicum bridge, has been in the city the past two days.

Deputy Fish Commissioner Burton, of Washington, was in the city yesterday. Commissioner was headed for Grays Harbor.

J. R. Burke, of Wahkiakum county, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Burke is a candidate on the Democratic ticket for sheriff of his county.

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

In the Circuit Court today orders were made as follows: George Kaboth vs. Vandesysel Pkg. Co.—Demurrer overruled and given until September 19 to file answer.

State and Land Board vs. G. Wingate et al.—Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed until September 15 to answer.

John McGuire vs. A. McDonald et al.—Order confirming sale.

J. P. Merrifield vs. Alice B. Merrifield—Order for publication of summons.

State vs. Constantine Mitchell—Order discharging defendant.

George Flavel et al. vs. George Hill—Confirmation of sale.

A. G. Spexarth vs. I. T. Lemon—Settled and dismissed.

W. C. Curtis vs. M. M. Black—Trial set for September 25.

Isla Thomas vs. C. H. Mitchell—Default.

Foard & Stokes Co. vs. Geo. Elco—Demurrer overruled; defendant to answer September 20.

Anton Stewart vs. Wm. Beasley—Demurrer overruled; to answer September 17.

State vs. Benna Mahan and William Leasey—Arraigned; Thursday next to plead; bail fixed at \$500; not given.

State of Oregon vs. M. Christoffersen—Dismissed.

State vs. C. Burg, stricken from docket.

State vs. Carl Ronda—Argued and submitted.

BAR WILL STEER AGAIN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Capt. Charles Barr, the well-known America's cup skipper, who sailed Columbia against the Lipton challenger Shamrock II, will again serve the New York Yacht Club next year in the international match as he did last year, says the Herald. Barr has been engaged by the interested officials to take charge of the new boat that may be built to defend the cup or be selected, as is deemed best.

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

Mrs. R. Ingleton has just opened up a fine line of ladies' fall hats, walking skirts, over skirts, woolen shirt waists and under clothes, and all kinds of ladies' and children's furnishing goods. Hair switches and pompadours. A chance for the elegant \$50 piano with each \$50 purchase. Welch Book, opposite Budget office.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

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Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimney flues than any other coal on the market. George W. Sanborn, agent, Telephone 1311.

Iron beds are fast superseding the cumbersome wooden article because they are neater, more durable, sanitary and vermin proof. The latest reductions have just been received by Chas. Heilborn & Son.

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PELEE GETTING QUIET.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Growth from Mont Pelee are diminishing, says a Times dispatch from Martinique by way of London. The volcano is still in eruption, but its activity is now insignificant. All necessary measures to assist the government have been taken by the government. The native population is calming down. It is the opinion of observers that Fort de France is not menaced even if the dreaded tidal wave does come.

BROOKLYN MAN MISSING.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Samuel F. Nichols, of Brooklyn, a member of the Havana Mercantile Company, has mysteriously disappeared from Havana, says a dispatch to the Tribune. He was last seen on Saturday morning. His bank account is untouched.

GEORGE CROCKER BETTER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—George Crocker who has been quite ill from blood poisoning at his residence, is much improved and expects to be about in a few days, cabled the London correspondent of the Herald. With his wife he will sail for America about October 1.

OLD COLONEL DEAD.

BETAN, Tex., Sept. 16.—Colonel William A. Banks is dead at his home here, aged 59. Colonel Banks served through the Civil War and is mentioned in history as the colonel of a Virginia regiment participating in the raid on Harper's Ferry, where John Brown was captured and killed.

NOTED SCHOLAR DEAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Dr. George Siebert, professor of Hebrew at the New York Theological Seminary of New York, died from congestion of the lungs on board the steamer Kronland last Tuesday, when that vessel was three days out from Antwerp.

DUMIES LOCATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—State Mineralogist Aubrey makes the astonishing statement that during the last few months almost 250,000 acres of land in mineralized sections of California, and largely mineral in nature, have been grabbed by Eastern speculators through employment of dummy locators.

EX-CHIEF DEVEREY WINS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—In the Democratic primary election today, William S. Devereay, ex-chief of police, has won the leadership of the Ninth district. John C. Sheehan, one of Devereay's opponents, concedes Devereay's election.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as guardian of Ruth Minkler, a minor, will on Monday, the 15th day of September, A. D. 1902, at and in front of the court house door, at the City of Astoria, in Clatsop County, in the State of Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate of said ward, situated in said County of Clatsop, to-wit:

An undivided four-ninths (4-9) interest in and to part of the west one-half or the southeast one-quarter and the east one-half of the southwest one-quarter of section seven (7), in township eight (8) north, of range six (6) west of the Willamette meridian being the entire interest of said ward in and to said real estate. Said sale will be made pursuant to a license and order made by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Clatsop County, on the 11th day of August, 1902. EMILY CASHIEL, Dated August 15, 1902. Guardian. \$-15-3-14.

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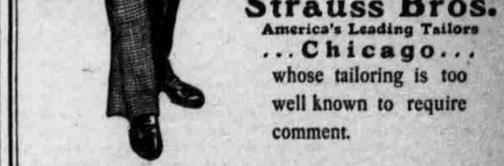
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